

CORRESPONDENCE

Milwaukie

MILWAUKIE, Aug. 13.—The Union Sunday School gave a picnic in Electric Park north of Milwaukie Saturday. A very large crowd was in attendance and a delicious dinner was spread at 5 p. m. of which all partook freely after which a very interesting game of basketball was played. This was followed by a program of music and recitations. Those worthy of special notice was a dialogue by several little boys, song by F. J. Rogers and recitation by Mrs. Hamm of Portland, the latter being encored the third time. As darkness drew over the grove it was beautifully lighted up with Chinese lanterns under which the children played games until a late hour when all departed for their respective homes thinking they had spent a profitable day, which was proven by the amount of funds the Sunday school received and the ice cream disposed of during the evening.

The Evangelical church has been cleaned and painted inside and the Union Sunday School is being held in the Episcopal church until the paint dries.

Mr. Henry Henneman has finished giving the M. E. church a fresh coat of paint. Henry does a first class job.

Messrs. Tscherner and Birkenmeier have commenced the erection of a cottage for Mrs. Lehman.

Mrs. Geo. Wissinger and babe are able to be out.

The E. S. Ry. Co., have greatly improved the bridge across Milwaukie pond by building a new foundation.

Mrs. Wilson and family who have been at the coast are among their friends again.

Mrs. Chas. Lakin is rusticated at the coast.

Miss Connie Ralph was visiting Milwaukie friends over Sunday.

L. L. Moore has returned to Milwaukie.

The Milwaukie boys who served in the Philippine expedition was given a public reception Wednesday.

Mrs. Kenner has let the renting of her place to Julius Broetje and gone to San Francisco where she will join her husband.

Mrs. Thomas and children, of Albany, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Bottemiller. Julia Weizler is numbered among the Milwaukie pleasure seekers.

A grand reception was given to the Milwaukie volunteers, who served with the Second Oregon in the Philippine Expedition, at Milwaukie on Wednesday. The weather was not favorable but a large crowd turned out to greet the brave boys.

Mr. T. R. S. Sellwood had charge of the program and Miss Rose Scott the dinner which was served up to date in every respect. Miss Scott is noted for her genius in managing large receptions. County Commissioner Richard Scott roasted the beef which was suitable for a Queen's taste. The speaker of the afternoon was Lieut. J. U. Campbell, of Oregon City. At five o'clock the program postponed until after dinner which was the drawing card of the day. After dinner the program was resumed commencing with music furnished by the S. P. car shop brass band, of Portland. The music was excellent and the band is to be complimented upon the good behavior of its members. Hon. Geo. C. Brownell was the speaker of the evening. Many songs, recitations and speeches were indulged in during the evening. Those worthy of special notice were Hon. Geo. C. Brownell, Lieut. J. U. Campbell and 2nd Lieut. Martin all of Oregon City. After the crowd had left some of the boys got up a dance and the merriment went on, thus ended one of the successful receptions of the season.

Stafford.

STAFFORD, Aug. 13.—Sunday rain came to refresh the dusty earth. Surely there is no great loss but there is some small gain, although grain harvest is caused to stand still and much that was ready to haul is all wet again. Pastures, meadows, potato fields and gardens are looking much better.

Mr. Reutter has torn a portion of his old barn down. A cellar will be made of the remaining portion.

The A. O. U. W.'s held a very enthusiastic meeting Saturday evening.

Those thinking of gathering hazelnuts had better get a move on as the season will soon be past. The nuts are beginning to drop off.

Many can be seen on the way to the coast. This neighborhood is not having the coast and mountain fever to any great extent.

Gage's field of buckwheat is in full bloom. Some say bees will go seven miles to work on buckwheat but in this land of blossoms bees, like most people, do not care to work so far from home, and in crossing the field a bee can seldom be seen on a bloom and there are many bees kept less than two miles distant.

Some men who own binders are cutting out for 85 cents an acre and furnish their own twine.

C. W. Larson contemplates renting a farm this fall.

Shubel.

SHUBEL, Aug. 13.—Miss Ada Moechnke, who has been visiting with friends in Oregon City the past two weeks, is home again.

Otto Hornschuh is laid up with a pitchfork wound in his leg just below the knee.

Mr. Comins had a break down one day last week.

Rev. Essig preached an eloquent and patriotic sermon in the German Congregational church this morning. "Freedom" was his theme.

Miss Minnie Harrington, of Highland, spent last Sunday in our midst.

Nearly all the people around here went blackberrying in the mountains but have about all returned with plenty of blackberries.

William Guenther, jr., visited his parents here the past week. He has left for California.

Several of the young people surprised Emil Hornschuh and family on last Tuesday evening, it being the fifth anniversary of his wedding day.

Mr. Tucker, of Springfield, passed through here one day last week soliciting orders for the Salem nursery.

Henry Ginther is limping around with a sprained leg, having been thrown from a horse.

Eugene Cumins has moved on his place again.

Mr. Jack Wallace, of Highland, spent today with friends here.

Willie Hornschuh, of Carns, visited his brother E. W. Hornschuh today.

Mr. Beeson and family spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hill of Beaver Creek.

Wm. Martin and family, of Beaver Creek, came up and spent the afternoon with his father-in-law, Mr. H. Anson.

Cherryville.

CHERRYVILLE, Aug. 13.—M. Frasier, who has been helping W. E. Welch with his hay, has returned home and reports that Mr. Welch has nearly eighty tons of hay in the barn. Mr. Frasier will return in a short time to help put in the rest. There is about twenty camps of people there from various parts of the country. The young people enjoy themselves by picking berries, fishing, romping over the mountains and dancing twice a week. Mr. Frasier also reports many Warm Spring Indians in the mountains.

G. T. Beebe is cutting his grain. Mrs. Endersby and children and Mrs. Kearney was the guests of Mrs. Baty Thursday.

Tom Stone was seen on the streets of Cherryville Thursday.

Miss Alpha Ware was the guest of Mrs. Frasier Thursday.

Sidney Frasier is visiting his sister Mrs. Shadler of Salmon.

S. Osborn has lately returned home from the Bridal Veil Logging Camp and with his family made a flying trip to Portland and laid in a fine supply of stationery for the P. O. and many other articles.

Molalla.

MOLALLA, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Walling, of Oswego, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bagby returned home Friday.

Herman Bros. intend to start their machine Saturday. The boys have been making a blower for their thresher which will attract a crowd to cuss and discuss its merits.

Harry and Birt Hubbard have gone to the Bunch Grass country for harvesting.

Charley Dart is in Sherman county. Wages good.

Earnest Russell is back from Eastern Oregon. He is hauling logs for Bagby Bros. Saw Mill Co.

Freda Dart has been to Portland to have her eyes treated. She returned home Monday.

Mrs. Emily Dart was a caller at the home of A. J. Sawtell's Tuesday of last week.

Teasel Cutting is in full blast with rather a quiet and industrious crowd at work. The teasels are rather a light crop this year; a good many plants are missing.

Harliss and Shaver are fixing up their thresher and will thresh for John Stewart Tuesday.

Uncle Jake Harliss has bought another piece of Molalla property. This time the P. W. Herman place has fell into Uncle Jake's possession. He now has nearly a whole street. Faith in Molalla dirt is sure to make a handsome little village here yet.

Some Advent preachers have pitched their tent in our midst and will hold services Sunday.

Rev. Craig preached in the Harliss Hall, Molalla, Sunday.

The Grange at Mulino Saturday was a success. Dr. Casto and his son were present. The son has just returned from the land of the Filipino's and gave the grangers an interesting and instructive talk on the islands, people, etc.

Henry Russell was in Molalla during the past week. He reports that his bees have produced about 1600 pounds of No. 1 honey this year.

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Dover.

DOVER, Aug. 14.—The rainy weather at present is good for the late potatoes but is damaging the grain that is cut.

Mr. Lewis and family were visiting Mr. Nelson's last Sunday.

Joseph DeShazer and family were visiting relatives on the Columbia river near Latonelle Falls.

H. L. Ward and family attended the preaching services and basket dinner here last Sunday week.

Miss Ella Nelson is staying with Mr. Strowbridge's family of Firwood.

J. L. Ragland and wife were visiting and picking blackberries a few days last week.

Mr. Bowman's daughter and grandson of Portland are visiting with them now. A. J. Kitzmiller and wife started for Portland this morning with blackberries.

James DeShazer, of Firwood, has been quite sick with malarial fever, but is improving now.

J. A. Stawbridge is preparing to have a barn raising this week.

Joseph DeShazer and family were visiting relatives in Firwood Sunday.

Mrs. Severe and daughters, of Viola, were visiting here last week.

Logan.

LOGAN, August 14.—The rain is stopping the farmers from cutting their grain. Lots of grain is cut already.

Everybody has got back from the mountains with lots of berries.

M. Fallert starts the 15th of the month for Wind River Wash., where he has been appointed superintendent of the hatchery.

Miss Nancy McCobbin is improving.

Since the rainy weather Mrs. Higgins has had some pretty severe attacks of the asthma.

Quite a number of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb last Saturday evening where they had such a jolly time that the writer wishes he had not been in the mountains at the time.

M. Riebbhoff started his bailer one day last week.

Mr. Tom McCobbin has just finished hauling 1000 posts for Mr. Fallert.

Walter Shepperd is hauling shingles from Springfield.

Mrs. Swales is up and around again.

George Swales bought a horse from Mr. Booton one day last week.

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A Practical Joke.

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"Bill, I meant it only as a simple joke. You will find your eye in your overcoat pocket." But it was not there. "It must be, because I put it there myself," urged the joker. The coat was held up by the tail and shaken.

"By thunder! I wonder if I could have put it in my own coat?" "Where's your coat?"

"I've pawned it. I didn't want to borrow and needed a few dollars." "How much is it in for?"

"Ten dollars."

Mr. X. produced \$10 and the coat was redeemed. The eye was in the inside pocket. He carefully washed it, slipped it into place and walked out after 12 hours of solitary confinement.

Odd Things in Whisky Making. "There are lots of queer things about the whisky business," said an expert the other night, "and one of the queerest is the peculiar quality that a distillery, for no apparent cause, will lend to its output. The thing has never been explained, but, nevertheless, it's an undeniable fact. I know a distiller who sold his old plant and moved to a more desirable locality, where he tried to put up an exact duplicate. He even went so far as to smash a couple of windows that happened to be broken in the old establishment, but it was no go; he couldn't make the same kind of whisky to save his soul.

"This same difficulty has destroyed the usefulness of many a valuable brand. Another singular phenomenon is the impossibility of making a good Bourbon whisky east of Kentucky as a good rye west of the Alleghenies. I speak in broad terms. Apparently the feat has been accomplished a few times, but investigation has always developed the fact that the makers of seaboard Bourbon were of blue grass origin and the chaps who succeeded in turning out an inland rye were aliens from the east. A real Kentucky colonel will not touch rye. He considers it almost as deleterious as water."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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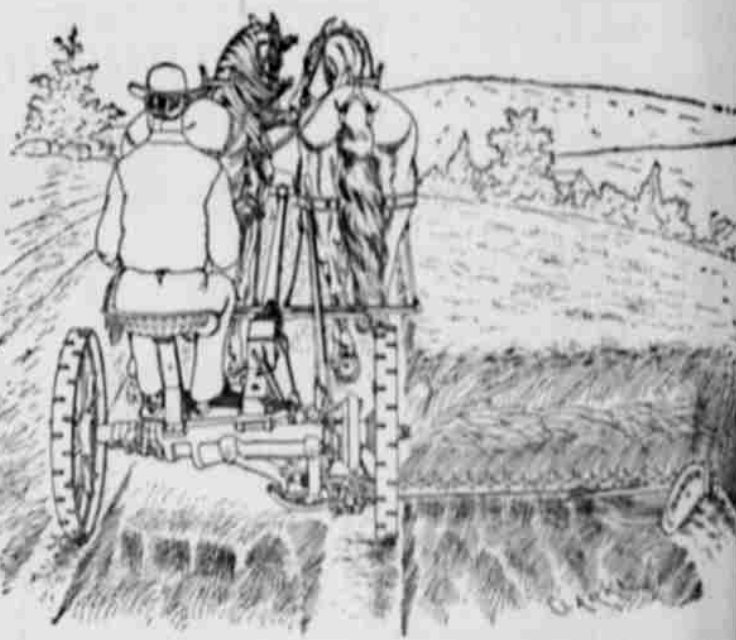
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